TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

FISCAL NOTE



HB 1829 - SB 1674

March 11, 2011

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes substitute teachers to be employed and paid by a local education agency (LEA) or by a third party provider. Substitute teachers employed by a third party provider shall receive the same unemployment benefits as substitute teachers employed by local education agencies.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- According to the Comptroller, some LEAs currently contract with third party providers for substitute teachers. This will codify the current practice of those LEAs.
- LEAs will have the option to continue to directly employ substitute teachers. It is assumed that LEAs will not opt to contract with outside providers for substitute teachers if it will significantly increase local expenditures.
- Any increase in permissive local expenditures as a result of contracting with an outside provider will not be significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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